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REPORTS

THE PHILOLOGICAL SOCIETY

and

MIDDLEBORO SOCIAL LIBRARY

1800-1825

Presented by

Miss Jane Bennett

Miss Nellie Bennett

December 1941

1809 Articles for the Regulation of the Library belonging to the Proprietors of the Social Library No. 4

Art. 1st. The ~~shall be~~ Librarian who by law is to be chosen annually on the first Wednesday of June, ~~but~~ in case of death, change of residence or resignation, ~~another~~ may be chosen at any quarterly meeting of the proprietors to serve untill the succeeding June anniversary

Art. 2d. The Librarian shall ~~shall~~ take the custody of the Library, which shall ~~be~~ be deposited at his house & there be kept safely for the access of the Proprietors & no other persons

Art. 3d. He shall bring all the books belonging to the Library, which may not be in the regularly hands of the ~~P~~ individual Proprietors, to the quarterly and anniversary meetings of the Proprietors

Art. 4th. Every individual Proprietor shall be permitted to take & ~~[illegible]~~ detain only one book from the library Room at a time, and ~~by~~ that by ~~under~~ the permission ~~direction and knowledge~~ of the Librarian

Art. 5th. The Librarian shall be responsible to the ~~[illegible]~~ corporation for all the books delivered him at the time of his accepting his office, a catalogue of which shall at the same time be delivered ~~him~~ to the ~~[illegible]~~ Clerk ~~at the time the Librarian accepts his office~~

Art. 6. Any Proprietor who takes a book from the Library and does not return the same at the ~~next~~ quarterly meeting next succeeding the time of his taking the same, shall forfeit & pay twenty five cents for the use of the ~~Library~~ corporation, ~~for every such neglect~~ and the same sum for not returning the same book for every succeeding quarterly meeting

Art. 7. When two or more ~~[illegible]~~ proprietors apply to the Librarian for the same book at the same time it shall be decided by lot who shall ~~be~~ receive the same

Art. 8. A committee of three shall be chosen ~~at~~ on the June anniversary, of which the Librarian shall be one, any two of whom shall be a Quorum, whose duty shall be to inspect the books returned at each quarterly meeting, and appraise the damage (if any) which each book may have sustained since the last delivery and make report in writing to be filed by the Librarian: which damage, so appraised, shall be paid by the member who ~~[illegible]~~ held the book when it sustained the damage

Art. 9. If any Proprietor ~~may~~ receive a book between the quarterly meetings, the Librarian shall be competent to inspect the book returned, assess the damage and file a memorandum of the same; which damage so assessed shall be paid by the Proprietor

returning 1st Book, before he shall be permitted to take out another —

Art 10 — Off at any quarterly meeting the aforesaid committee shall all or any of them be absent then the corporation may choose others who may be present to supply their places for that meeting —

Art. 11 — No Proprietor shall receive a Book from the Library on the days of the meetings of the corporation unless notice shall be given by the Librarian to all the members present that the books are ready for delivery

Art. 12 — Any proprietor who may live more than ten miles from the place where the Library may be deposited, shall ~~not~~ be 10 for exemption from the forfeitures beforementioned — ~~[illegible]~~ that he may detain a book where the whole work is in one volume ~~more than~~ six months ~~he shall~~ & no longer ~~[illegible]~~ ~~forfeit & pay twenty-five cents for every~~ provided 1st Term of six months do not include two meetings ~~[illegible]~~ of the ~~[illegible]~~ corporation

Art 13 — Any Proprietor who may have received a volume of a work containing more ~~the~~ volumes than one, ~~may~~ shall, upon his returning the same into the Library, be entitled to the next succeeding volume in the work in preference to any other proprietor

Dec. 9, 1808 The above ~~report was made~~ is the report of the committee appointed by the corporation last meeting to frame regulations for the Library & now accepted by the corporation

Attest Tho Bennett Clerk

June 1st 1808

The Members of the Philological Society on this Day form'd themselves into ~~the~~ a Social Library Society by the Name of Fo. chose Wilkes Wood Esq. Moderator
Tho Bennet Clerk sworn before N Cobb Esq. John Bennet Librarian. Ebenr Cox Collecr
G Rounsevillae Treas.

A Committee to form some by Laws for the regulation of of this Library Socy and to examine the state of the Books & see what No. there are & Make a Catalogue of the same & report ~~of~~ d. next Meeting ~~and to affix the value thereof on every Book~~

Voted that the Librarian shall be directed ~~to deliver~~ not to deliver any Book to any person untill ~~they are Inspected~~ next Quarterly Meeting

Voted to Adjourn to the Time & place that the Philological Society shall meet

Mejor Hazael Tinkham Tho Weston & Zechh Eddy a Committee the above purpose

the Society till next Meeting
Esq Wood & Esq Thomson added to the former Committee
Voted for the Committee to proceed and Effect all Necessary Rules & regulation & Report next Meeting

Voted also that the damage assessed by library Committee upon any Member ~~[illegible]~~ for the injury which any book has received ~~[illegible]~~ ~~out of the library~~ his hands shall be paid before such member shall receive any more books from d. library

Hazael Tinkham & Zechh Eddy to be a Committee to examine the State of the Books when return'd Adjourn'd to the Time & place of the Philological Socy Meeting

1808

First Wednesday in Decr 1808
The ~~Library~~ Social Library Society met at Mr Spreats
Voted that Society have four Quarterly Meetings in a Year holden on the same Day & place the the Philological shall meet and the Meeting for Electing Officers of sd Society shall be on the First Wednesday in June

Voted that the Clerk & Librarian furnish themselves each with a Book suitable to keep the Records in their differents Departments on the expence of the Society

1808

The subscribers being a Committee appointed by the Philological Society to settle with their late Treasurer Mr. Thos. Sproat have attended that service and submit the following report —

viz We find that the P. Treasurer has received and credited to the Society in the whole thirty five Dollars & forty seven Cents — — — — — $35.47

And we find that P. Treasurer has paid out to sundry persons and charged to P. Society the sum of Thirty Dollars and two Cents $30.2

and delivered the balance to Esqr. Wilkes Wood to purchas Books being five Dollars & forty five cents 5.45 $35.47

P. accounts being made even we have transmitted the Book & Papers to the present Treasurer

Middleborough June 26th 1809

Abiel Washburn

This Report not being Satisfactory is recommitted

Report of
a Committee
June 25th 1809

The Committee chosen by the Philological & Social Library Society No 4 in Middleboro — to consider and report what alterations of any are necessary to be adopted ~~different from with~~ respecting the present regulations of the Library belonging to S Society — haveing attended that service ask leave to report — That it is not expedient for any member of the Society living out of the County to delegate or transfer his right in S Library to any other person whatever — but any Member living within the County may thus delegate his right by giving the person to whom such right is delegated or transfered an order to take Books out of the Library — provided such person shall cause S order to be filed with the Librarian —

The Committee ask leave further to report that any Member who may not find convenient to take out a book at the quarterly meetings may have the privilege of so doing any time after S meetings provided it be returned at the next quarterly meeting & provided further that no ~~member~~ shall take more than one Book between the quarterly Meetings — pr. order H. J. Wood —

Middleboro June 5. 1816

At a Meeting of the 4 Library Society on the First Wednesday in June 1812 — at Mr Sproats Esq Cobb chosen Moderator —
The Bennet Clerk sworn before Esq Thomson
Cyrus Keith Librarian — G Rousseville Treasr
James Sproat Collector —
Noted that the Treasurer be furnished ~~with all~~ the Collector of all Demands which the Society have against individual Members for Collection and call upon the Collector for the payment of the Same. — — — — — — — —
Chose a Committee to enquire into the Finances of the Society consisting of the following persons
Viz Major Bourne
Col Washburn
Capt Wilder
adjourned

1812

First Wednesday in June 1812

The Library Society met at Mr Smiths June Two

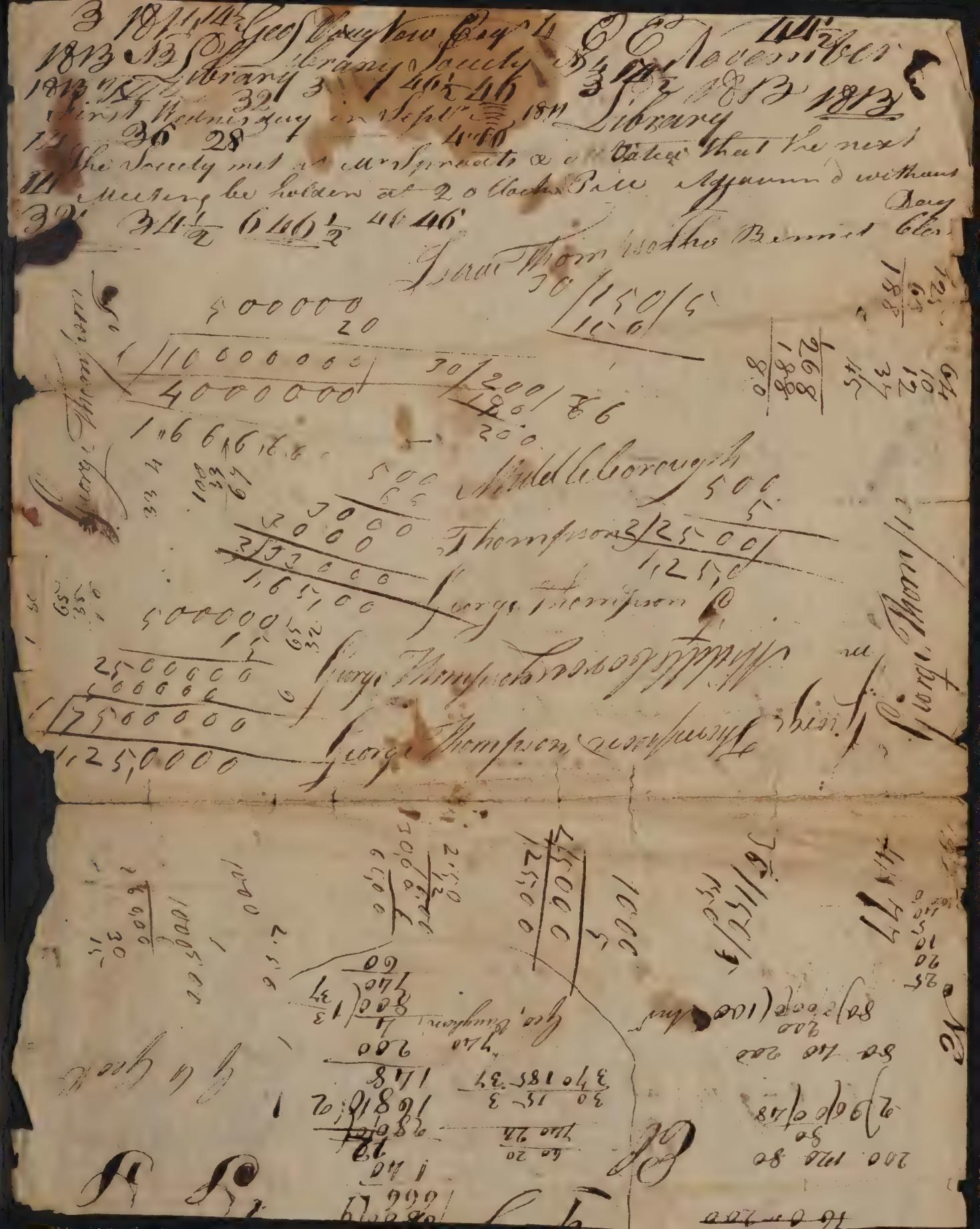
Voted to postpone the Report of the committee of Finance till next Meeting

next Meeting at 2 o'Clock P.M.

Social Library meeting —
first Wednesday in March 1809 —
Chose Neh.^l Cobb Esqr Moderator
— Cyrus Keith Clerk —
adj.^d for five Minutes — met & adj.^d
without day —

Cyrus Keith Clerk
Pro. tem

1809 Social Library Society met on the first
Wednesday in June W. Wood Esqr Moderator
Tho Bennett Clerk v. Cyrus Keith Treasurer
John Bennett ~~W Wood Esq.~~ H Tinkham with the Librarian a Comm
to examine the State of Books belonging to the Corpora
T. H. met Bo



The 4th Library Society met at Mr Tho Sproat, on the first Wednesday in June 1811

Chose A Holmes Esq Moderator
Tho Bennet Clerk Sworn before Abr Holmes Esq
Cyrus Smith Librarian
Nathl Thompson Collector

Voted to direct the Librarian not to exchange any Book except on the Days of the Regular Meeting

~~Voted that the Solicitor be directed to purchase~~

Adjourn'd till after the Society return from the Meeting House of next Meeting at 2 o'clock Pill
T Bennet Clerk

First Wednesday in December 1811
The Library Society met at Mr Sproat, as the Moderator ~~as the~~ was absent they chose Esq Cobb Moderator
Voted that the ~~Librarian~~ be directed to procure a Trunk with a good Lock to deposite the Books

Esq Cobb mov'd that each Member of the Society pay annually 25 cents to the Treasurer for the purpose of ~~use of the~~ increasing the Library. Voted that the consideration of this Question be referr'd to the next Meeting
Remitted 25 cents to Dr Thomas for not returning this Books the Last Meeting. Voted that the next Meeting be at 2 o'clock P.M.

First Wednesday in Decr Next Meeting to be holden at 2 o'clock P.M.

1811

First Wednesday in June 1813 —

The 4th Social Library Society in Middleboro at Mr Sproat.

Chose N Cobb Esq Chosen Moderator
Tho Bennet Clerk
Tho Sproat Librarian
G Plaunsville Treasr
Capt S Ellis Collectr

Zech Eddy
Tho Weston & Capt Jos Cushman Committee to settle with the Treasurer & ascertain the Finance of the Society — Adjd to 5 o'clock —

~~Read Mr Gurney to Deliver~~

Esq Eddy Mr Gurney & Mr Shaw to draw a List of Book to be procured — Report that the Treasurer be directed to purchase books for the Library in the following order — I. Marshall's Life of Washington II. Goldsmith's History of England III. Robertson's History of Scotland — IIII. Bethnap's Biography — Accepted

Next Meeting at 4 o'clock P.M. Tho Bennet Clerk

First Wednesday in Septr 1813

The Society Met at Mr Sproat's Remitted Mr Shaw's Fine

To meet at Mr Sproats at 3 o'clock next Term

First Wednesday in Decr 1813

The Library Society No 4 met at Mr Sproat's —

Next Meeting at 3 o'clock — Tho Bennet Clerk

The 4th Library Society met at Mr Sprouts on first Wednesday in March 1814

Directed their Librarian to furnish to the Collector a List of the diliquents for not returning Books, &c

Voted that the committee of finance be directed to report a system for enlarging the finances of the Society

Directed Eng Eddy to get the Vol of Washington, Life Bound

Voted that one of the ~~Previous~~ Books call a Previous & the Book of Maps may be taken by any Member who has another Book

Next Meeting at 10 o Clock AM The Bonnet Ches

Voted that L. Eaddy be authorized to subscribe in the name & for the use of the Library for a publication having the following title "The American Review of History & Politicks, & General Repository of Literature and State papers, to be continued quarterly, printed at Philadelphia by Farrand & Nicholas, sold by I. Maloney & Co. Boston" the first number printed in Jan. 1811 —

1814 First Wednesday in June
At a Meeting of the 4th Librarian Society
at Mr Spinoat Esq Cobb Moderator
Tho Bennet Clerk, Horatio G Wood Librarian
G Rounseville Treas, Capt S Ellis Collect
Voted to allow $3.50 to L Eddy Esq for the Book binding Bill
Esq Eddy Capt Wilder & Co N Washburn Committee
to Settle with their late Librarian & Treas and to
examine the Books & ~~deliver~~ transfer them to their new Libran
Remitted D Westons fine in N Thomson Bills
Voted for Money Subscribed this Day be paid
to the Treas Chose May Bourne to purchase the
Christian Observer & draw the Money from
the Treas

Tho Bennet Clerk

Next Meeting at 4 o'clock P.M.

First Wednesday in Septr 1814

The Library Society Adj^d to 4 o Clock P.M

The Secretary Book

First Wednesday in Sept 1818

The Society of the 4 Literary Society met at Mr Spraw

Proposed for a Vote for next Meeting
that no person shall be allowed at ~~the~~ each Annual
Meeting to take from the Literary any Books
After the Society have dined T Bennet Clerk
Next Meeting at 2 o Clock

The Philological Society met at Mr Sproat, on the first Wednesday in September 1818 Dr Thomas in the Chair —,

Voted to postpone all Business, assign'd for this Day till next Meeting.

Next Meeting at Mr Sproat's at 10 Clock P.M.

The Meeting of the 4th Literary Society met at Mr Sproat. First Wednesday in Sepr 1816

Directed the Librarian to procure one Hundred & Fifty complete Catalogue of the Books belonging to the Society & draw the Expence from the Treasury — Next Meeting at 3 o Clock AM. T Bennet Clerk.

First Wednesday in Decr 1816
The 4th Literary Society met at Mr Sproat
~~at 3 o Clock P.M~~
Next Meeting at 3 o Clock
Attest T Bennet Clerk

1817 First Wednesday in March Chose
Z Eddy Esq Dr Stuntevant & Jas Sproat
Committee to take what Money the Socy have & lay it out for such Books as they ~~see~~ think most beneficial to sd Society
Adjd to 4 o Clock Attest T Bennet Clerk

1818

The 4th Social Library Society met at Mr Spraat's first Wednesday in June 1817

N Cobb Esq Moderator.

Tho Bennet Clerk Sworn before Esq Wood.

Horatio G Wood. Librarian

James Spraat Treasurer

Capt S Ellis — Collector

Adjd to 4 o Clock

Next Meeting at one o Clock Sat

T Bennet Clerk

No Pain
Hutson Raymond
Isaac Stephens
Jas Barker
H G Wood
G Bennet
A Kingman x Esq
Alex Wood
Trestum Burgess x

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The Philological & Social Library Society No 4, in Middleboro, to Horatio G. Wood Dr

1815.
Feb 27, To 1 Blank Book Bt of Boston — "50
" " 1 Book Case —

Expense of making the Book Case —

3½ days work	@ 6/	3..50
Boards		"75
2 f. 1¾ In. Butts	@ 17¢	"34
3 doz Screws	@ 15¢	"45
2 Cupboard Locks	@ 38¢	"76
Staining		1..20
		6"00

~~3/50~~ Gave an Order

Library

First Wednesday in March 1816

Directed their Committee to Settle with their Treasurer to examine & Report on next Meeting

Voted for, Major Bourne to procure the Christian Observer & take the Cost out of the first Money in the Treasury

Next Meeting at 10 o'clock AM

Major Bourne & Esq Miller to H G Wood to Examine whether any alter in the Library are necessary & Report next Meeting

T Bennet Clk

First Wednesday in June 1816

Neh Cable Esq Moderator
T Bennet Clerk
H G Wood Librarian
Capt S Ellis Collector 8.78
James Sproat Treasurer 7.74
W Wood Esq a Committee to Transfer 1 34 18
the Book & Money in the Treasurer 1 18 37
hands to Jas Sproat the present Treas 19 04
& make a full Settlement with the form 18 Treas

T Bennet Clk

Fourth Library Society
Met at Mr Spraat's First Wednesday in June
1815
Chose Nehemiah Cobb Esq Moderator
Thomas Bennet Clerk. Sworn before N Cobb Esq
Horatio G. Wood Librarian
G Rounseville Treasurer
Capt S Ellis Collector
* Voted to allow Dr The Sturtevant $2.50
for the Life of Lord Wellington
James Spraat
Capt N Wilder Jr
J Bennet
} Committee to Examin the State of the Treasury & Report next Meeting
Adjd to 4 o Clock P.M. Next Meeting
T Bennet Clerk

First Wednesday in September 1815.
The fourth Library Society met at Mr Spraat's
Postpon'd the Report of the Committee on a
Settlement with the Treasy to next Meeting
Chose Messrs H Wood Major Wm Bourne & Tho Bennet
to Sort out those Books which are useless & make a
Catalogue of the same & Report at the next Annual
Meeting
T Bennet Clerk
Next Meeting at 3 o Clock P.M.

First Wednesday in Decr 1 Wednesday
* Allow'd Z Eddy Esq 25 Cents for Service in binding
Books
Remitted 50 Cents set against Rev d David Gurney
T Bennet Clerk
Adjd to 3 o Clock

First Wednesday in ~~March~~ June 1819
Esq Cobb in the Chair — Philological Social Library Meeting
Voted & chose W Wood Esq Librarian pro Tem —
Next Meeting at 11 o Clock AM — T Bennet Clerk

First Wednesday in June 1819
The Philological Library Society convenid at Mr Tho Sproats
Chose Nehemiah Cobb Esq — Moderator
Thomas Bennet Clerk Sworn before L Eddy Esq
Horatio G Wood — Librarian
James Sproat — Treasurer
Francis Mwood — Collector

Motion made by L Eddy Esq to annex the Solicitor to the Library Officers for the future
Voted to annex to the Term of Collector that of Sub Treasurer
Voted for the late Collector to make what Collection of the Arrearages he conveniently this day then Transfer his Bills with the Money he may have in his hands to the new Collector
Next Meeting 3 o Clock P M
Mr Zechh Fuller Librarian pro tem — T Bennet Clerk

1819 First Wednesday in September the Library Society convenid at Mr Sproats Esq Cobb in the Chair
Tho Bennet Chosen Librarian Pro Tem —
Adjd to 2 o Clock P M — T Bennet Clerk

First Wednesday in Decr 1819 Esq Cobb in the Chair
The Library Society convenid at Mr T Sproats
Voted for the next Meeting to be holden at this place at 3 o Clock P M — Mr Tho Bennet Clerk

First Wednesday in March 1820
The Library Society convenid at Mr T Sproats
Esq Cobb in the Chair
Voted for future the Library Society shall annually chose a Solicitor & that to the Collectors they add the Term of Sub Treasurer next Meeting at 4 o Clock T Bennet Clerk

Philological Society Library

First Wednesday in June 1820

Chose Nehemiah Cobb Esq Moderator

Tho Bennet Clerk

Capt Isaac Stephens Solicitor

H G Wood Librarian

Voted that provided the Librarian removes he shall leave the Books in the hands of the Clerk

James Spraat Treasurer

Francis Atwood Sub Treasurer

Voted to choose a 2d Sub Treasurer

X Voted to allow $1,00 to Z Eddy for covering Books

Joseph Jackson 2d Sub Treas

Authorised to Librarian to receive & deal out Books on this Day before the Society proceed to the Meeting house

next Meeting at Mr Spraats 3 o Clock Tho Bennet Clerk

The Social Library Society Convened at Mr Spraats

First Wednesday in Septr 1820

voted that the next Meeting be holden at 3 o Clock P M

Mest Tho Bennet Clerk

Philological First Wednesday in March 1821

N Cobb Esq in the Chair Chose Tho Bennet Librarian

Next Meeting at 1 o Clock

Tho Bennet Clerk

Philological Society's Library Meeting
First Wednesday in June — 1818

The Bennet Chosen — Clerk
N. Cobb Esq — Moderator
James Sproat — Treasurer
H G Wood — Librarian
Capt Southwar Ellis — Collector

*Allowed Capt N Eddy $1.50 for Covering
6 Vol of Church History

Esq Wood Major Baum Major Wilder a Committee
to Settle with the Treasurer

Adjd till the Close of the Exercises in the Meeting
Next Meeting at Mr Sproats at 2 o Clock
T Bennet Clerk

~~The Meeting of the 4th Library Society~~
First Wednesday in September 1818
The 4th Library Society met at Mr Sproats
Major Wilder T Bennet Dr Starbuck Committee
to consider the Expediency of a set Time to
open the Meeting of this Society on each Meeting
Next Meeting at 2 o Clock T Bennet Clerk

The 4th Library Society met at Mr Sproats
First Wednesday in Decr 1818
Voted to purchase Fullers Systems of Mr
H G Wood for the Sum of 83 Cents

Next Meeting at Mr Sproats at 2 o Clock P.M.
The Bennet Clerk

Your Committee Chosen First Wednesday June 1818
To settle with the Treas^r of the Philological Society
make the Following Report ..

1st. your Committee find your Treas^r has
rec^d since June 1816. — — $44-92

2^d your Committee find receipts for the
Following sums paid out by your Treas^r

To Maj^r Thos Bennet —	2.25	
Capt Nathl Eddy —	1.50	
Maj^r Levi Pierce for Postage	46	
Joseph Avery Two Bills for Books —	37 02	41 .. 23
Balance remaining in the Hands of Treas^r		$3 .. 69

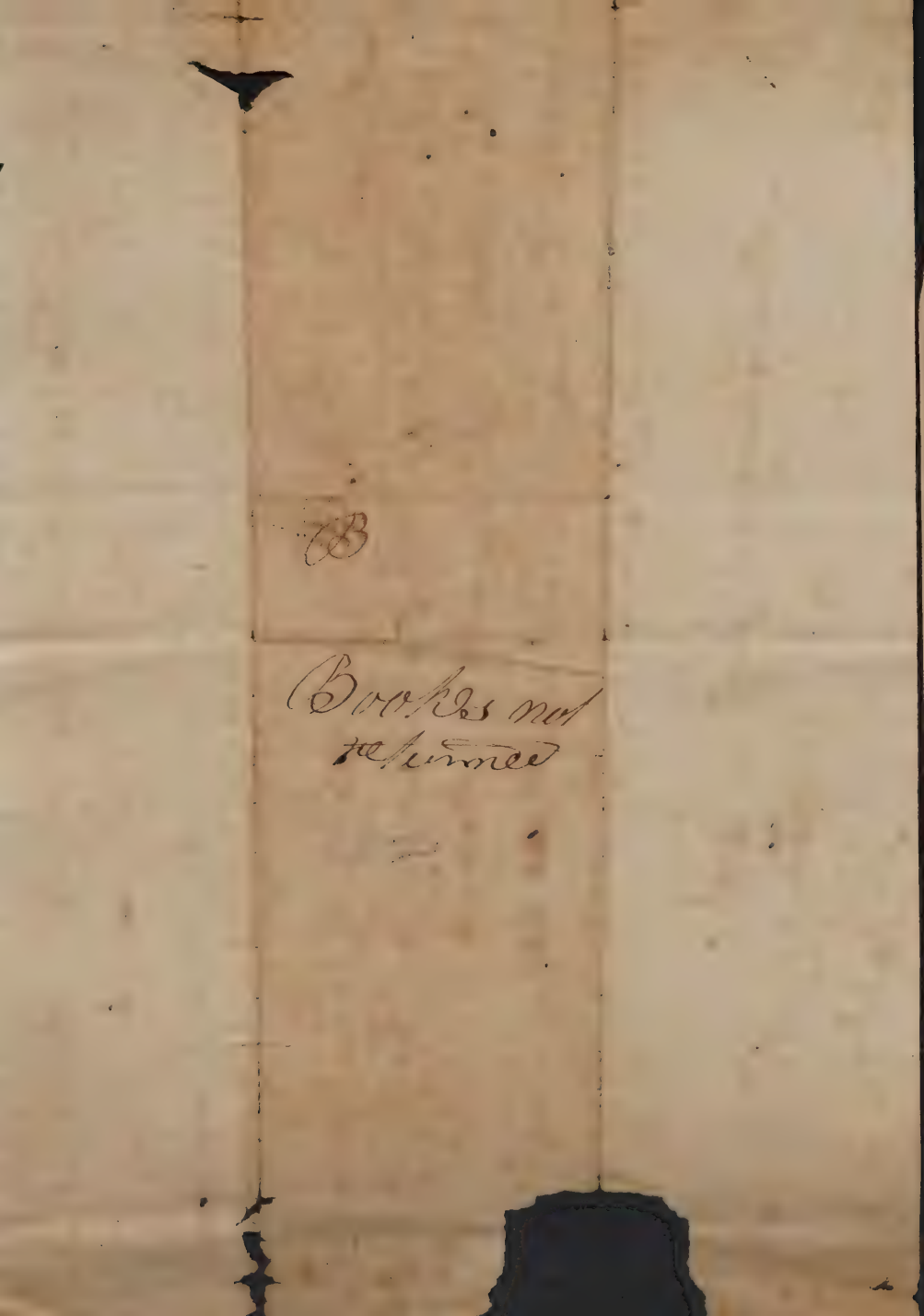
All which is submitted —

First Wednesday June 1819 Nathl Wilder Jr. for Order

The above Report was accepted by the Society
Attest Tho Bennet Clerk

1819

Report of the
State of the Literary
Treasury 1819



The following members of the Philological Society appear, by the Librarian's Book, to have neglected to return the Book set against their respective names from the times [illegible] mentioned

Names	No.	Names of the Books	when taken out
Daniel Weston 2nd	41	1st Vol. Hunter's Biography	1st Wedy June 1815
Wilks Wood	77	Beauchanan's Researches	— — March 1820
Jacob T. Perkins	51	2nd Vol Belknap's N.H.	— — Sept
Doctor J. Perkins	14	Watt's on the Mind	do —

Middleborough July 14 1821

Allen Fuller Librarian

Philological Social Library

First Wednesday in in June 1821

Nehemiah Cobb Esq Moderator

Tho Bennet Clerk Sworn before Z Eddy Esq

Capt Isaac Stevens Solicitor

Allen Fuller Librarian

James Sproat Treasurer

Francis Atwood & Jos Jackson Sub Treasurers

G Rounseville Capt Stevens & Dr Thomson Committee etc examine the Stakes of the Treasurer

Esq Eddy James Soule & Jacob Bennet to draw a List of Books for the Society

Adj to 4 o'clock

Tho Bennet Clerk

The Philological Society Library first Wednesday in June 1822

Nehemiah Cobb Esq Chose Moderator Sworn before L Eddy Esq

The Bennet Clerk Sworn before L Eddy Esq

Capt Isaac Stevens Solicitor

Geo J Thompson Treasurer

Francis Howard Sub Treas

Allen Tuttle Librarian

H G Wood Librarian pro Tem

Jos Jackson Capt Stevens & Major Wilder to Trea

Transfer the Books & papers & Funds from the old to the new Treas

Voted to Take Dr Mathers Magnalia from Steven Tillson

Thomas Eleazar Thomas Lathrop Thomas & Wm Shaw Jr

& Allow them $3 for the same

Adj to 4 o Clock P M — The Bennet Clerk

Next Meeting 4 o Clock

Philological Society Library

First Wednesday in Sept 1822

The Society convened at Mr S Symmes

N Cobb Esq in the Chair

Directed their Librarian to N the Pamphlets bound in two Vol

Adj to 3 o Clock P M

Philological ~~Society~~ Library Society first
Wednesday in Septr 1821
The Society convenn'd at Mr J Sproat's
A Cook Esq in the Chair

Voted to direct the Committee to Report a State
of the Treas^y also the Committee to draw a List
of Books be call'd on to execute their Assignments

Voted to direct their Librarian to Write to Mr
Daniel Weston to Return the Book he is Charg'd
with together with the forfeitures

Chas J Bennet Mr J Sproat & Allen Fuller to
to examen the State of the Book & report a Statement
of the same & with their opinion whether they shall
be Sold also to Report whether some pamphlets in
the Library be Bound in a Volume

Also directed the Librarian to Bind the new Volumes
in Sheets Skins & bring in his Accounts to the Soc^y
Next Meeting at 4 o Clock P M J Bennet Clerk

I hereby certify that the Books belonging to the Philological and Social Library Society, No 4, in Middleborough, which bear the following numbers in their Catalogue, viz. 5, 13, 32, 34, 41, 49, 63, 85, 91, 96, 104, and 119, were not returned to the Library, to me, or to my residence at or before the quarterly meeting of said Society on the first Wednesday of September 1823. And that the same books, all of them, except No 85, were taken from the Library on the first Wednesday in June last, as may be seen by the Librarians Book

Allen Sullens, Librarian.

Sept. 4, 1823.

Report to the Phila-
delphia Society
Sept 4 1823.

Philological Library Society convened at Mr Thomas Sproate ~~Wedn~~ the 1st Wednesday of Dec 1822

the Moderator being absent Thomas Bennett Esq being called to the Chair

Vote 1st Geo Thompson Clerk protem

Vote 2d That the present Treasurer call on a Committe which were chosen at a meeting the 1st wednesday of June last to settle with the old treasurer and transfer the Books and papers to the Treasurer which was chosen the 1st Wednes of June last

3 Voted to Adjourn this meeting to the first wednesday of March next

Geo Thompson Clerk Protem

First Wednesday in March 1825

The Philologian Society Library Society Convened at Mr Tho Spruants — Dr Tho Stanhouse Moderator pro Tem Voted to purchase of Esq A Cobb Neal's History of the Puritans 5 Vols ~~Also~~ & 2 give him $8.00 for the same also Sabine's Ecclesiastical History at 1.00 Next Meeting at 3 o Clock ~~Pm~~

Attest Tho Bennet Clerk

Philogeal Library Society convened at Mr Shroats
Shroats March 5th 1823 the Clerk being absent
Voted 1st that George Thompson be the
Clerk Protem for this day

* Voted to allow Mr Allen Fuller for binding 7 Vols — 1 54

Voted to ~~[illegible]~~ Adjourn this Meeting to the
1st Wednesday of June at 4 Oclock P.M.

George Thompson } Clerk Protem

Philological ~~Society~~ Library Society convened at Mr Spraats
first Wednesday in June 1823

Chase Neth Cobb Esq Moderator

Tho Bennet Clerk sworn before Tho Weston Esq

Maj Wilder Solicitor

Geo Thompson Treas

Joseph Jackson Sub Treas

Allen Fuller Librarian

Added Capt N Eddy Edw'd Sparrow with Maj Wilder a Committee to Settle with their former Treas & transfer the Books & Papers to the present Treas

The Society Voted that the Sub Treas, be directed ~~that~~ to Collect what Fines he can & Report at the next Meeting

Next Meeting at 3 o Clock, Attest Tho Bennet Rec'g Society

First Wednesday in Sept 1823

Philological Society Convened at Mr Spraats

Chase Tho Bennet Moderator pro Tem

Chase Allen Fuller Clerk pro Tem

Next Meeting at 3 o Clock P M

Attest Tho Bennet Clerk

First Wednesday in Dec 1823

The Philological Library Soc convened at Mr Spraats

Voted that the next Meeting be holden at 3 o Clock P M

Attest Tho Bennet Clerk

First Wednesday in March 1824

The Philological Library Society convened at Mr Spraats

Tho Hammond Esq in the Chair

Adj to 3 o Clock P M

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Philological Library Society First Wednesday in June 1824 At Mr Tho Sproats

Chose Genl Miel Washburn Moderator

Tho Bennet Clerk swarn before Esq Baum

Mazar N Wilder Jr Solicitor

Edwd Sparrow Treasurer

Joseph Jackson Sub Treasurer

Capt Samuel Thomson Librarian

Esq L Eddy
G Rounseville } Committe to settle with the Treasurer also with the Librarian & Transferr the Money & Books

next Meeting at 3 o Clock P M Attest Tho Bennet Clerk

First Wednesday in September 1824

Philological Social Library Society convened at Mr Tho Sproats

Chose Tho Bennet Moderator & Allen Fuller Clerk pro Tem

Voted that Librarian be instructed not to deliver a book to any person on the rate of any member of this Society except applied for by a written order.

This rule not to be in force till after the next annual ~~meeting~~ meeting.

Allen Fuller Rec.
Sec. Pro Tem

1824

WARD'S
NO. 85-7